

Health Certificate No. _____

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CHAPTER 2 (B)

Health certificate

For heat-treated milk-based products with a pH reduced to less than 6 not intended for human consumption and for dispatch to the European Community

Note for the importer: This certificate is only for veterinary purposes and has to accompany the consignment until it reaches the border inspection post.

1. Consignor (name and address in full)	<p align="center">VETERINARY CERTIFICATE For heat-treated milk-based products with a pH reduced to less than 6 not intended for human consumption and for dispatch to the European Community</p> <p align="right">Reference number⁽¹⁾ ORIGINAL</p>	
2. Consignee (name and address in full)		
5. Intended destination of the milk-based products 5.1. EU Member State : 5.2. Name and address of the destination :	4. Competent Authority 4.1. Responsible Ministry : 4.2. Certifying department :	6. Place of loading for exportation
		7. Means of transport and consignment identification⁽²⁾ 7.1. (Lorry, Rail-wagon, Ship, or Aircraft) ⁽³⁾ 7.2. Number of seal (if applicable) : 7.3. Registration number(s), ship name or flight number :
8. Identification of milk based product 8.1. Description of milk-based product : 8.2. Milk of : (animal species). 8.3. Address and registration number of treatment or processing establishment ⁽³⁾ :		
9. Health attestation I, the undersigned official veterinarian, declare that I have read and understood Regulation (EC) No 1774/2002 ⁽⁴⁾ and certify that : <u>9.1.</u> the milk-based product referred to in this certificate : a) has been prepared from raw milk that comes from animals : a) i) not showing clinical signs of a diseases that can be transmitted through the milk to humans or animals, and a) ii) belonging to holdings that are not under official restriction due to foot-and-mouth disease or rinderpest, b) has undergone a process involving heating to ... (temperature) for ... (time), which ensured a negative reaction to the phosphatase test, followed by, in the case of dried milk or dried milk-based product, a drying process, and c) has undergone an acidification process whereby its pH has been maintained at less than 6 for at least one hour; <u>9.2.</u> every precaution was taken to avoid contamination of the milk-based product after processing;		

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9.3. the milk-based product was packed :

⁽³⁾ *Either* [in new containers,]

⁽³⁾ *or* [in vehicles or bulk containers disinfected prior to loading using a product approved by the competent authority,]

and the containers are marked so as to indicate the nature of the milk-based product and bear labels indicating “NOT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION”.

Official stamp and signature

Done at on
(place) (date)

(stamp) ⁽⁵⁾

.....
(signature of the official veterinarian) ⁽⁵⁾

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(name, qualifications and title, in capital letters)

Notes

- (1) Issued by the competent authority.
- (2) For goods vehicles the registration number should be given. For bulk containers, the container number and the seal number (if applicable) should be included.
- (3) Delete as appropriate.
- (4) OJ L 273, 10.10.2002, p. 1.
- (5) The signature and the stamp must be in a different colour to that of the printing.